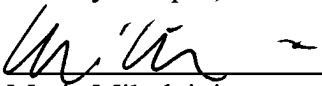


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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, please enter the following in the above-identified application:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, applicant herein elects to prosecute the invention of Group I, namely, claims 1-7 and 15-21 drawn to a fuel cell system.

The inventions of Group II, namely, claims 8-14 drawn to a fuel processor, and Group III, namely, claims 22-23 drawn to a method of suppressing an electromagnetic pulse, are herein withdrawn from further consideration as being directed toward a non-elected invention.